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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

G.W. THEATRE PRODUCTION OF "THE CAVE DWELLERS,"

TO BENEFIT WASHINGTON'S HOMELESS

WHO: G.W. University Theatre

WHAT: Presenting William Saroyan's The Cave Dwellers.
Second-performance proceeds to benefit
Washington D.C.'s homeless.

WHEN: BENEFIT PERFORMANCE--8 p.m., Wednesday, April 2.
Proceeds to benefit Miriam's Kitchen, GW's project
for the homeless.

REGULAR PERFORMANCE RUN--
8 p.m. Tuesday, April 1 - Saturday, April 5;
2 p.m. Sunday, April 6

WHERE: The George Washington University
Marvin Center Theatre
800 21st Street, N.W.

COST: \$3 - students and senior citizens
\$6 - general public

The George Washington University will present a fund-raising performance of William Saroyan's The Cave Dwellers at 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 2 at the University's Marvin Center Theatre.

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Proceeds from this performance will be donated to Miriam's Kitchen, a GW community-sponsored charity for the homeless.

As part of the GW theatre department's regularly-scheduled performances, this particular presentation represents an ongoing effort by the GW community to help the homeless.

Written in 1958, The Cave Dwellers explores the plight of the homeless, and how lifestyle affects one's ability to love and care when there seems to be nothing left to give.

"We chose this particular play, because it is so timely and relevant to the burgeoning problem of the homeless in this city and across the United States," says Chip Balling, assistant professor of communication and theatre at GW.

In an attempt to realistically portray the characteristics of street people, some of the actors have actually spent time in the garb and environment of their role models. According to the play's director Libby Kephart, "This is a show which deals with non-violent, gentle people who live on the streets. They are not all violent as most people believe." In fact, "Many of them could be people just like your or me," says Kephart.

The Cave Dwellers opens at 8 p.m., on Tuesday, April 1 and runs through Sunday April 6. Director Libby Kephart is music director at the Stage Door Cabaret in Annapolis.

For more information, call the GW Theatre box office, (202) 676-6178

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

RICHARD PERLE TO SPEAK AT G.W. ON ARMS CONTROL

Richard Perle, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Policy will speak on "Current Issues in Arms Control Negotiations," at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 27 in Room 403 of the G.W. Marvin Center (800 21st St., NW).

The talk is sponsored by G.W.'s School of Public and International Affairs (S.P.I.A.), and the public is invited.

For more information, call 676-6240 (S.P.I.A. office).

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

G.W. TO HOST TELECONFERENCE ON PEACEFUL USES OF OUTER SPACE

A two-hour national teleconference on the peaceful uses of outer space will be broadcast from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Friday, April 4, originating from the GWTV studios on the George Washington University campus.

The teleconference is sponsored by GW's School of Public and International Affairs in collaboration with the United Nations Association of the United States of America (UNA-USA). It is part of a UNA-USA study to examine the prospects for international cooperation in space, and in the process involve American citizens in the discussion of major issues and the shaping of foreign policy.

Audiences at more than 35 participating teleconference sites across the nation will be able to ask questions of recognized experts in space technology and policy.

The panel moderator will be John Logsdon, space analyst and Director of the Graduate Program in Science, Technology and Public Policy at The George Washington University.

The panelists will include Roy Gibson, head of the newly established British National Space Centre and former Director of

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the European Space Agency; John McLucas, chairman of the National Steering Committee for UNA-USA's outer space study, former Executive Vice President of Comsat and former Secretary of the Air Force; and Ken Pedersen, former Director of NASA's Office of International Affairs, currently on leave as Research Professor at Georgetown University's Institute for the Study of Diplomacy.

Anyone interested in watching the teleconference in the Washington, D.C. area may do so at Room 402 of the Academic Center (800 22nd St., NW) on the GW campus.

For more information on watching the conference from the GW campus, call (202) 676-7292.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

30-SECOND PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

G.W. TO HOST GALA REUNION
OF CHORAL GROUP ALUMNI, MARCH 22

The George Washington University choral music clubs have been a part of Washington's history for more than 70 years. Now, they will hold their first-ever reunion on Saturday, March 22nd. The day will be highlighted by an 8 p-m concert which is free and open to the public. The concert takes place in the Marvin Center Theatre, 800 21st Street, Northwest, on the G-W campus. For more information, call G-W's Music Department at 676-6245.

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